

What you don't know could cost you.



Protect yourself by knowing your work rights.

When it comes to workers' rights, many are operating in the dark. Your time is precious. So when you work, you must be paid for all your time on the job. It's time you learned all about your rights, because what you don't know could cost you!



Brought to you by the
Office of Attorney General
Martha Coakley

Did you know:

- Your employer is required to **pay you in full** for all hours worked, even if you quit, are laid off or are fired.
- If you work six hours or more, you are entitled to a 30-minute **meal break**.
- **Tips** cannot be shared with owners or managers.
- The Massachusetts **minimum wage** is \$8/hour. That's higher than the Federal minimum wage.
- By law, employers are required to **pay time and a half** for hours worked beyond 40 hours a week.

Want to learn more? Go to **MassWorkRights.com**
or call the **Fair Labor Helpline** at **617-727-3465**